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## Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the patent application of

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CONTROLLER INTERNAL BUS SUPPORTING THE TCP/IP PROTOCOL

## Enclosed are:

- <u>Two (2)</u> sheets of formal drawings, Figures 1-3.
- An Assignment of the invention to SCHNEIDER AUTOMATION. [X]
- Certified copy of French application No. 00 09803. [X]
- [X] A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- This application is not entitled to small entity status. [X]
- A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. [X]
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